

Dear Prospective Council Member:

A position for a parent representative is currently vacant on the Children's Long-Term Support (CLTS) Council, and the Department of Health Services (DHS) is in the process of recruiting new members. We are interested in nominees who can make a commitment to be active participants on the CLTS Council during the term of the appointment.

Meetings of the Council are held in Madison, Wisconsin, on a quarterly basis. To find out more about the CLTS Council and the schedule for the Council meetings, please visit the CLTS Council website at: http://cltscouncil.wisconsin.gov/

To assist DHS in the nomination process, we are requesting all candidates provide a résumé and your responses to the following four questions:

- 1. List organizations (programmatic, business, political, voluntary, etc.) where you are currently an active participant. Describe your role in the organization.
- 2. Describe your experience, if any, working on legislative issues. What topics/concerns did you address, with whom, and what were the outcomes?
- 3. Please list specific experience or knowledge that you feel makes you a qualified candidate for this Council.
- 4. Please provide the names of two to three people who can be contacted as your references. They can be people who have worked with you as discussed in questions 1 and 2, or other individuals who know you well. Please give the person's name, title, address (work or home), and daytime phone number.

Applications are accepted on a continual basis. The Office of the Secretary will review all applications and appoint the new council member. Please mail a completed application to the address below:

The Department of Health Services Bureau of Children's Services Attn: Deborah Rathermel 1 W. Wilson St. Room 418 Madison WI 53707-7851

If you have any questions or need assistance completing the requirements, please contact me at 608-266-9366 or by email at Deborah.Rathermel@dhs.wisconsin.gov.

Sincerely,

Deborah Rathermel, Director Bureau of Children's Services